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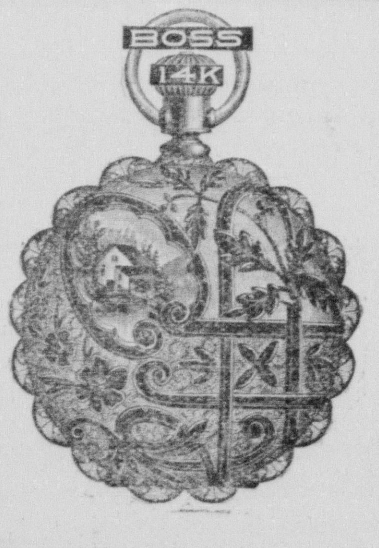

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—Louis Edwards went east this morning.

—Jacob Patrick went north this morning.

—Mrs. Hattie Ritson was up from Sterling, Saturday.

—John King is very ill at his home on Peoria avenue.

—Henry Noble and Roy Hess spent Sunday in Polo.

—Jacob Brubaker is home for a few days vacation, being ill.

—The Ladies' Cinque Club will meet with Miss Rink this evening.

—Gladys, the infant daughter of Mr. and Mrs. C. G. Smith is quite sick.

—J. F. Sanford departs this evening on a business trip to South Dakota.

—Gene Malloy came out from Chicago Saturday night and returned this morning.

—Mr. and Mrs. W. J. Kent drove to Sterling yesterday to visit at the home of the latter's sister.

—Mayor Charles Snyder and son Frank, of Oregon, spent Sunday here with the Mayor's cousin, D. J. Snyder.

—G. H. T. Shaw has a fine picture of Berry on the home stretch of Pleasure Park, driven by Jack Suter on a bicycle sulky.

—Mr. E. F. Benjamin, proprietor of the Paris Steam Laundry in Chicago, came to Dixon last night to visit with friends for a few days.

—Messrs. Elmer Rogers and Sevy Leister from Dixon and Mr. Chas. Wisman and sister of Ashton, were guests of the Misses Hammerli, of Palmyra, Sunday.

—Winter dust is a little worse than summer dust, and it is suggested that our merchants should induce the street sprinkler to continue his work as long as necessary.

—That blush of pride and joy which mantles William Beier's face today is caused by thoughts of that new baby boy at his home. The newcomer's name is William Earl Beier.

—A ten year-old lad named Bernard Busse, residing at Savanna, while out hunting on Sunday, in company with several other boys, accidentally shot and killed himself instantly. A double warning to parents. Keep firearms out of reach of young boys, and provide your children with a better Sunday pursuit than hunting.

—Ingraham brothers, of North Dixon, are driving a full brother of Delmarch. The animal is a four-year old and owned by J. C. Clevling of St. Louis, who sent him here to be trained, He is a pretty creature, slightly resembling his illustrious brother.

—Money got tight and was locked up. It is now said to be sobering up and going out to do its legitimate work in the commercial world. We cannot expect the dollar to keep straight because it is round, but we surely thought it had cents enough to keep moving.—Western Plowman.

—We are pleased to announce the approaching wedding of John Barge to a lady in Chicago. The ceremony will be performed by Father Hodnett, at his parsonage in Chicago, on Wednesday morning of this week at ten o'clock.

—Ira Sherwood the father of Mrs. Ernest Swarthout, denies that any companion of his son-in-law's was ever killed while out gunning with him, either accidentally or otherwise. In the case of the story current, he says that on the day the young man from Erie accidentally so shot and killed himself, Swarthout was many miles distant at home.

—John M Briggs, of Davenport, expired at 11 o'clock on Friday night from the effects of laudanum, taken with suicidal intent. He was a son of the late H. M. Briggs, one of Davenport's earliest tradesmen, and had been leading a life of dissipation until reduced to a pitiable condition, both physically and pecuniarily.

—As the road work for the present year is completed, would it not be well for the highway commissioners to make a public statement of work and expenditures. In view of the fact that the special levy has been used, and another levy next year will doubtless be called for, a definite and authoratative statement, showing particulars, would be of some interest to the public

—The Sterling Gazette says: "The late eminent historian, Francis Parkman, was a close relative by marriage of J. St. J. Greenough, of this city. It was his brother who, years ago, was murdered by Prof. Webster, of Harvard, giving rise to one of the most celebrated criminal cases of the day. Col. D. S. Greenough, an uncle of our James St. John, married a sister, who is still living. Their son, D. S Greenough, jr., was at one time connected with John M. Page in running a the old Sterling paper mill."

—Mail robbery seems to be a rapidly growing industry, and quite profitable, considering the risk. But mail robbers are not always successful; and the pluck of a Nebraska girl recently is worthy of mention. Miss Lizzie Wombold, an 18-year-old girl had been for two weeks carrying the mail in a buggy between Burwell and Almeria, during her father's illnesss The distance is 56 miles. One evening last week when she had reached a lonely part of the road, she was accosted by a strange man on horseback, who made several inquiries in regard to the mail, all of which the young lady civilly answered. When she told him there wasn't much mail going over the route, he grabbed the pouch and in language more forcible than elegant said he guessed he'd see. But before he could get the pouch out of the buggy he was looking into the unfathomable depths of an ugly-looking revolver, and he unhesitatingly complied with the young lady's command to drop that and move on. She didn't faint, but kept him well covered with her weapon till he was out of sight.

WELL UP IN FRONT.

According to the annual report of the first assistant postmaster general, there are only two states that exceed Illinois in the number of presidential postoffices. These are New York, which has 280, and Pennsylvania, with 244. In Illinois there are 236 and the salaries of the postmasters amount to $396,000. Illinois is second in the amount of postal receipts, New York ranking first with receipts which amounted the past year to $22,061,294. The receipts of the Illinois presidential offices were $6,368,872. Pennsylvania was third with $5,425,850 and Massachusetts was fourth with receipts amounting to $4 660,334. Eleven presidential postmasters in Illinois receive salaries of $1,900, the same number get 1,800, sixteen receive $1,700, twenty-six are paid $1,600; thirty three are on the rolls at $1,500. The pay of eighteen is $1,400 a year, thirteen get $1 300 apiece, twenty-seven receive $1,200, fifteen are paid $1,100 and fourteen only $1,000 per annum.

Accessions to the M E. Church.

At the morning service Sunday thirteen persons were received into full connection in the M. E church in this city: Mrs. Hart and Mrs Oller by letters from Ashton; Mrs. Martha Miller, Mrs. Flora McWilliams, Grace Frank and Mary Rosebaugh on a profession of their faith; and Elizabeth Everest Garrison, Anna Belle Yenkey, Ida May Thompson, Emily Olivia Hammerstrom, Erma Preston Grose, Erea Elena Hammerstrom and Bess Emily Pitcher by baptism. At the close of the ordinance the pastor, Rev. O H. Cessna, preached an earnest sermon from the text, "How much owest thou my Lord?" in which he treated, first, the elements of a church's power, and, secondly, individual responsibility to the church of God.

WEATHER PREDICTIONS.

Weather prophet Hicks says we are to have a long, cold and severe winter this year, and has the following to say: "Very hard, stormy weather will begin before or about the middle of November, the Venus equinox throwing her characteristic extremes into storm and temperature—for at least half of November and December. Then the December solstice storms will be due with a Mercury equinox falling right into their crises, December 23. After this while there are no unusual causes in January, it is always safe to count on winter in earnest in January. The whole of February will be under the influence of Mars equinox, central on the 28th. It will also dominate the month of March. March will prove a very hard month. There will be spells of extreme cold with many storms of rain, sleet and snow, sandwiched between with thunder and hail and an occasional tornado. If there then be causes to expect the beginning of hard weather in November and that March will prolong it at last, we may reasonably say that we expect upon the whole a hard winter The severity of the winter will end the last of March and a seasonable and early spring will follow.

EPWORTH LEAGUE CONVENTION.

The Second Annual Convention of the Epworth Leagues, of the State of Illinois, is to be held in Centenary M. E. Church Jacksonville, Ill., Friday, Saturday and Sunday, December 1, 2 and 3, 1893. A large number of our readers will be interested in this meeting, which promises to be the largest gathering of Christian young people ever held in the state.

The Epworth League, the thriving young people's society of the M. E. church, has had a remarkable growth. Organized but a little over four years ago it now has a membership of nearly 750,000, distributed in 11,000 organizations throughout the world. There are in this state alone nearly 1200 of these leagues, besides numerous other young people's societies of various names connected with the Methodist church. Each league or society is expected to send as many delegates as possible.

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Y. M. C. A. DAY.

Yesterday was a sort of religious field day for the Y. M. C. A. of this state, and as announced Saturday, prominent workers from various places visited Dixon and officiated in the services in the different evangelistic churches. M. S. McMullen, of Aurora addressed the Baptist congregation in the morning in the absence of the pastor, and in the evening J. V. Read of Chicago spoke at the same place E. M. Aiken of Rockford addressed a large congregation at the Methodist church Mr. McMullen spoke at the Lutheran, J. B. Bailey of Freeport at the Presbyterean and Mr. Edmonds of Elgin at the Evangelical church. The genial tenor of their remarks was expository of the various lines of work taken up by the Association. Gospel meetings were also held in the afternoon; Mr. Aiken addressing a meeting of men at the Lutheran church to the necessity of immediate preparation of heart for the important affairs of this life and of the life beyond. Mr. Bailey addressed a congregation of ladies at the M. E. church on the power of woman's influence in religion. An appropriate service for boys was held by Mr. Read in the rooms of the Association on Galena avenue.

Mrs. Elizabeth Brautigan, who recently leased the Keystone house, where she has been landlady for more than twenty years, will spend the winter with her daughters, Mrs. Eugene Harrington, of the Kingdom, Mrs. Gasman, Chicago, and Mrs. Havill, at Chester this state Aunt Elizabeth, as she is familiarly called, has well earned the rest we all hope she may enjoy.

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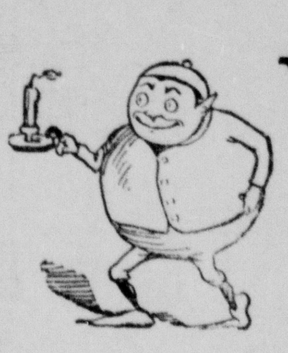

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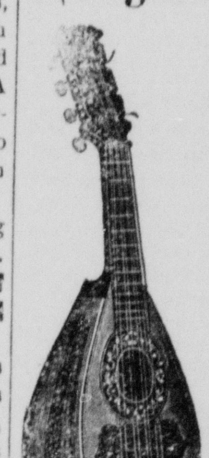

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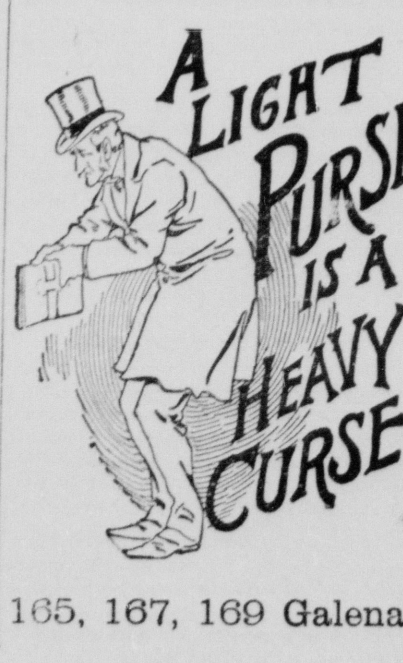

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WHERE ARE WE AT

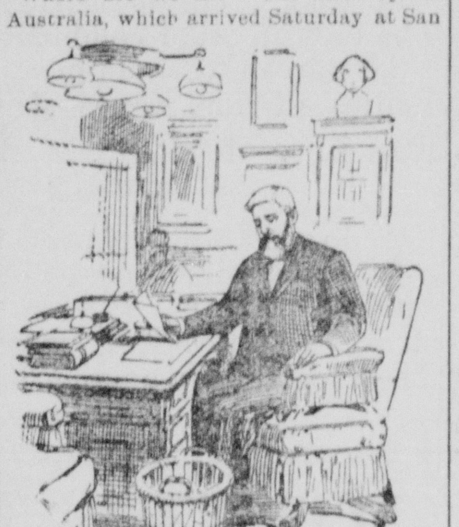
In This Matter of the Sandwich Islands?

THINGS LOOK A LITTLE MORE MIXED

Curious Apparent Divergence of the Acts of Minister Willis From the Sentiments of Secretary Gresham's Recent Letter—The Secretary of State Surprised at the Situation—Explanations That May or May Not Explain the Diplomatic Riddle.

New York, Nov. 20.—The Herald this morning prints what purports to be a portion of the report of Commissioner Blount on the Hawaiian revolution. The report, as printed, corroborates all that Secretary Gresham charged as to the action of United States Minister Stevens in the revolution.

Washington, Nov. 20.—For a week or more the capital and the country has been waiting for news from Honolulu. It has come, and the question naturally—if ungrammatically—arising from those who are not trying to explain matters is "Where are we at?" The news by the Australia, which arrived Saturday at San Francisco, is the story of diplomacy run to absurdity if Secretary Gresham's letter meant anything. In brief the advices are that immediately after his arrival at Honolulu Minister Willis—accredited to a government which Secretary Gresham's letter discredited—called on the head of that government and diplomatically fell on its neck.



SECRETARY OF STATE GRESHAM AT HIS DESK

Were Very Sweet on Each Other.

Butter would not have melted in the mouths of either Minister Willis or Annexer Dole. They roared each other "gently as sucking doves." Uncle Sam assured the annexers that he had their dearest interests next his heart, and Dole responded in kind. The president's letter of credentials to Willis said that the minister "will constantly endeavor to advance the interests and prosperity of both governments" and so "render himself acceptably to your excellency," which the same is President Dole, the head of the government that Gresham's letter says was established by fraud and conspiracy and should be unceremoniously bounced. And these facts make the average, unpretentious "un-wiseacre" and ungrammatical citizen ask, "Where are we at?"

An Incident of Significance.

So much for the diplomatic news. It should be understood, however, that the only man in the Sandwich islands who can possibly know about Gresham's letter is Minister Willis. The letter was published in the United States after Willis departed from San Francisco and no ship has reached the Sandwich islands since the publication, nor will until about Thursday next. Willis presented his credentials on Nov. 7. On the night of the 9th the boats of the Philadelphia were dropped into the water, armed with Gatling guns and small arms and manned. There they stayed until 4 a. m. the next day when they were all taken on board again. And much speculation obtains both here and at Honolulu as to the significance of this manœuvre.

What Did He Mean, Anyhow?

Some say that the movement was the first step in the forcible removal of the annexers, a step abandoned because the provisional government's army of 400 men is well armed with repeating rifles, and was understood to be ready to fight any one who attempted to interfere with the annexers; that the instructions to Willis did not authorize him to use actual force, and that all he could do was to "make a bluff." Others say the crews were ready to put down an expected attempt of the royalists to overthrow the annexers, Willis having orders to maintain the status quo for awhile. The royalists say there is not and never has been any danger of that sort.

GRESHAM HIMSELF SURPRISED.

The Secretary Evidently Expected Other News—Some More Explanations.

One thing is certain and that is that Secretary Gresham was surprised at the news of the continuation of the provisional government. There was a good deal of running to and fro in the departments after the news was received, and when things settled down the order of the day was "silence." At any rate nothing—not even an opinion—could be gotten out of any department official. One explanation of the peculiar situation is that Minister Willis had something for the private ear of President Dole after they had exchanged the sugary compliments demanded by diplomatic usage and that he was expected to be quiet about the business, and negotiate for the stepping down of annexers "sub rosa," as it were.

Another explanation is that the instructions to Willis did not involve the use of force and that when he found Dole "loaded for interferers" he concluded to wait and send home for more instructions. Landing troops at Honolulu with unkindly thoughts intent regarding the government which we have and do recognize would be a very serious matter and might take on a phase in which other powers would take a hand. There is another explanation: Willis may have found it impracticable to put the queen back in power because she refused to go back without the armed protection of the United States against the annexers and he could not guarantee this protection.

None of the congressmen in the city would say what they think. Senator Morgan and Senator Sherman are equally reticent, because for one thing speculation on an uncertain basis is not profitable, and the extraordinary difference between Gresham's letter and Willis' actions has made the uncertain in this case more uncertain. All that Secretary Herbert would say was: "When the American people come to thoroughly understand the position of this administration toward Hawaii they will indorse it as entirely patriotic and just, and the administration will in the end receive the commendations rather than the criticisms of the country at large.

WHAT THE ANNEXERS WILL DO.

Deport the Ex-Queen and Cancel Willis' Exequatur.

San Francisco, Nov. 20.—A newspaper correspondent at Honolulu sends the following, which was written a few hours before the steamer Australia left Honolulu for San Francisco on Nov. 11: "The new minister has made no sign as to Cleveland's policy in regard to us, but he gives mysterious hints of some unpleasant duty yet to perform. What that is we cannot learn. I know that the government has received nothing from him up to the time of the steamer's leaving, either officially or otherwise." A local paper, referring to the foregoing, says that the provisional government knew what his "unpleasant duty" was—insistance on the reinstatement of Liliuokalani.

The paper goes on to say that it has it from the most reliable source that the moment Willis showed his hand the annexers would order the ex-queen out of the country. On the authority of ex-United States Consul General Severance the paper says that the demand for the restoration of Liliuokalani would result in the cancellation of the exequatur of Minister Willis.

DISCOVERED A ROBBERS' CAVE.

Five Human Skeletons and a Lot of Stolen Property.

St. Louis, Nov. 20.—A special to The Republic from Elizabethtown, Ky., says: A cave three and a half miles from this city had never been explored to any great extent when a party of young people thought that they would explore it farther. It was found to contain a number of large rooms and in one of these rooms was found a box containing several gold and silver watches, two diamond rings, a lot of earrings and several pistols. In another room were found five human skeletons, thought to be those of persons who had been robbed and then murdered, and in this same room was a lot of cooking vessels which were thought to have been used by the robbers. Two of the watches bear the initials "R. C. A." and "S. M. McK."

MANY GO DOWN IN THE STORM.

At Least 200 Lives Lost on the Coasts of Great Britain.

London, Nov. 20.—The storm that has swept this coast has caused great loss of life. There are wrecks everywhere and a number of persons have been killed ashore by accidents caused by the storm. Hundreds of fishing boats are missing. Such vessels as the Lucania had a hard tussle with the elements.

The coast guard and life savers have saved scores of lives. Up to this writing the total number of deaths from drowning is 134, and counting the vessels known to have foundered off shore they will reach 200. The Standard says that it is reported that hundreds of lives have been lost during the storm in the northern part of France.

Progress of the Tariff Bill.

Washington, Nov. 20.—The ways and means committee hopes to complete the new tariff bill and give it out to the public about the close of the present week. The only hitch in the committee is on the income tax question and all the essential features of the bill depend on the adoption or rejection of this measure. One member of the majority is known to be opposed to the income tax—Cockran—but he stands alone except Chairman Wilson shall also be in opposition. His position is not known. The free list will embrace wool, lumber, iron ore, coal, salt, cotton bagging, binding twine and many other articles.

Aid for Starving Miners.

Milwuakee, Nov. 20.—Governor Peck has taken official notice of the situation among the starving miners at Hurley, and will this week issue a call to the people of Wisconsin for food and clothing to relieve the distress. The governor's plans contemplate systematic relief. He insists that Wisconsin is amply able to provide for its poor and says no one shall go hungry in the state.

The Alleged Epidemic at Grantsburg.

Appleton, Wis., Nov. 20.—Sensational reports of the alleged refusal of Dr. Reeve, secretary of the state board of health, to send aid to Grantsburg, suffering from an alleged epidemic, are wholly unfounded. Dr. Reeve is assured that no contagious disease exists, but asked a physician to confirm the diagnosis. No appeal has been made for aid. The whole matter will be properly investigated.

Wisconsin Christian Endeavorers.

Milwaukee, Nov. 20.—The following officers have been elected at the State Christian Endeavor convention: President, W. O. Carrier, Wausau; secretary, W. D. Gibson, Appleton; treasurer, Minnie E. Olmstead, Green Bay. Miss Anna Bradshaw, of Milwaukee, was elected state superintendent of mission work, and Raymond B. Frazier superintendent of temperance work.

Life Imprisonment for the Oliver Atrocity.

Morganfield, Ky., Nov. 20.—William Omer has been convicted of complicity in the Oliver murder and sentenced for life in the penitentiary. Abbie Oliver was compromised with one Delaney, who was compelled at the point of a revolver to marry her. Returning home the wedding party was fired upon by Delaney's friends, the girl killed and her parents wounded.

New Party Idea Not Well Received.

Topeka, Kas., Nov. 20.—With the exception of Secretary of State Osborne the Populists do not receive kindly the statement that the People's party will be merged into a new organization. "There is no talk of that kind coming from our fellows," said Chairman Breidenthal.

Had His Neck Broken at Football.

Toledo, O., Nov. 20.—Raymond Carew, half back of the Toledo high school football team, was caught in a jam at a game in Adrian, Mich., Saturday. A score of players piled on top of him and his neck was dislocated. He was brought to his home in this city, but died later.

Trouble Ahead for Sluggers.

Jacksonville, Fla., Nov. 20.—Governor Mitchell has girded his loins and determined that the Corbett-Mitchell fight shall not come off in Florida. He will order all sheriffs to prevent the meeting.

TRAINMEN STRIKE.

Tie-Up on the Whole Lehigh Railway Line.

A FIGHT FOR UNION RECOGNITION

The Men to the Number of 1,800 Leave Their Trains and Block Business—Company to Fight the Strike—Prospect of a Repetition of the Toledo Case—The Amalgamation Move in the Knights of Labor Assembly.

Philadelphia, Nov. 20.—A general strike has been ordered on the entire system of the Lehigh Valley railroad and the road is tied up. The cause is the company's refusal to recognize any committee or body of men as the representative of the employes of the road—in other words, to recognize the union. After repeated attempts made by the grand officers of the several railway organizations to gain audiences with the officials of the road, and after a sub-committee from the general committee, sitting at the Bingham house in this city, composed of bona fide employes of the road, had failed to secure recognition from the road's highest representative in this city—Vice President Voorhees—the order to quit was telegraphed to all the employes along the line of the road.

The men say they will countenance no violence and that every train has been taken to its destination and the locomotives duly attended to the same as if there were no strike. Eighteen hundred men are involved in the strike directly. There is no issue as to the cause of the strike, both parties having issued statements that agree substantially in that respect. The strike, it is said, will act very disadvantageously against the anthracite coal trade at all points between the coal regions and the lake and seaports if it is protracted any length of time. By this it will probably be the cause of shutting down many of the mines, and throwing thousands of men and boys out of work until the trouble is settled.

Strike on at Various Places.

Telegrams state that the strike is on at Easton, Wilkesbarre, South Bethlehem, Buffalo (in the freight business), Rochester (N. Y.), and other places. At Rochester, F. W. Prentice, deputy grand chief of the order of Railroad Telegraphers, is busy sending out dispatches to operators asking them to strike. One of these dispatches read: "Don't be a scab; be a man." At Buffalo, the western terminus of the northern division, the work of reorganizing freight crews is proceeding. With the experience derived from the struggle in August last year the superintendent and his aides hope to overcome the yard blockade in a few days. A gang of laborers is engaged in bringing down, from a store room in the upper floors of the Lehigh Valley station several wagon loads of cots and cooking utensils which were used in last year's strike.

Lehigh Ready to Hire Men.

These were being taken out to the East Buffalo car shops to improvise a lodging house for recruits to the freight crews. The Lehigh is ready to hire men to take the places of the strikers. How many men are needed cannot be told exactly. At Buffalo there are about 600 employes of the Lehigh and perhaps one-third of that number are out. Most of these are trainmen. At Sayre the officials of the road admit that fully half of their men are out. They include brakemen and firemen principally and a few engineers and conductors. In Buffalo the freight conductors have not refused to take out trains because they have not been asked, and there will be no chance to know how many of them will join the strike until they are supplied with full crews and ordered to move trains. No passenger men so far have refused to work.

Uncomplimentary Compliments.

The leaders in the fight have began to lose their tempers. Vice President Voorhees, when told that Chief Wilkins charged that the company had omitted a number of the provisions agreed upon last summer, said: "Tell Mr. Wilkins, with my compliments, that he lies, and I have the documents to prove it." Wilkins, when told of this, said he returned the compliments and also had documents. What the strikers understand "violence" to mean is not known, but reports from various points tell of trains being forcibly stopped, and in one case the train's crew was stoned.

May Bring Up Another Toledo Case.

Members of the brotherhood were asked if the trouble would extend to other roads. "Yes, if they move Lehigh freight that we have refused to move," was the reply. It is understood here that the Lehigh will be met with refusals if they request parallel lines to move their freight from every road except the New York Central. It was this refusal to take "scab" freight that brought on the celebrated Toledo case in which Judge Ricks decided that trainmen had no right to strike under such circumstances. The Lehigh will fight the strike and its officials claim to be able to get plenty of men in a short time.

TALKED OF AMALGAMATION.

Those Against Powderly in the K. of L. Also Against the Move.

Philadelphia, Nov. 20.—Amalgamation—the unification of all trades unions with the Knights of Labor into a harmonious whole—which was propagated at the secret meeting Friday night, made its growing strength felt at the session of the general assembly of the knights. Both sides indulged freely in oratory. Powderly and his supporters, Devlin and A. W. Wright, representing the administrative faction, and Hayes, James Wright and other leaders of the opposition expressed their views at length. Secretary-Treasurer Hayes reiterated his charges against the executive board when the morning session settled down to business.

The amalgamation was characterized as a personal aggrandizement of the executive. Powderly passionately protested that this was false. A. M. Wright spoke in favor of the master workman and against the charges. After the session one of the members stated that the prospect for amalgamation was excellent, and that if it occurred it would surpass anything known in the history of labor. Regarding other matters the only thing given out was a decision to begin a campaign in the ranks of the workmen of the south with a view to bringing them into the order, and some other missionary work will be begun among the workmen of this city.

Speaking of the amalgamation movement Powderly said that it had not yet assumed any such proportions as an "amalgamation" movement. It was simply a plan to have a congenial understanding between all trade unionists, and those unionists who were not identified with trade organizations, in order that their representatives might meet and adopt measures for the general welfare of the workingmen of the country and assist each other in all matters where assistance may be needed, without binding themselves to a closer tie. Amalgamation, he said, may be the result at some future time.

HE IS OUT TAKING NOTES.

A Reformer Who Is Accompanied by Matt Pinkerton, the Detective.

Buffalo, N. Y., Nov. 20.—The private car of John P. Quinn stands in the train house of the Lehigh Valley station. Quinn spoke on the vice of gambling in three churches yesterday. He has just completed a tour of the cities on the Baltimore and Ohio and Reading and Lehigh systems. His coach has been transported free. A railroad official said: "Quinn's journey is a blind. He is accompanied everywhere by Matt Pinkerton, chief of the Chicago agency.

"The railroad officials have employed him to go over their system and discover if possible if there is an organized conspiracy to strike. They are glad to pass Quinn and his coach for the sake of covering up the movements of Pinkerton. A strike is expected." It is a fact that Matt Pinkerton has accompanied Quinn on his journey. He acknowledges it, saying that the reporters had not said anything about it before.

The Lehigh strike here has hardly developed fully, although it has begun. It is a "sympathy" strike here. It is said that the engineers and operators will be ordered out next and that the strike is now only in its infancy. The five organizations, comprising all the men on the road except the switchmen who are not federated, will strike together. If the ordering out of the two classes of employes named is not sufficient to tie up the road others will be called out. It is predicted that by tonight not a wheel will be turning on the Lehigh between Buffalo and Philadelphia.

Union Wages, if They Are Reduced.

Youngstown, O., Nov. 20.—Fires have been lighted in several of the rolling mills for the first time since the closing week in June, and work was resumed this morning. The members of the Amalgamated association regret the necessity that compelled them to accept the reduction, but they are gratified with the fact that they can return to work at union wages.

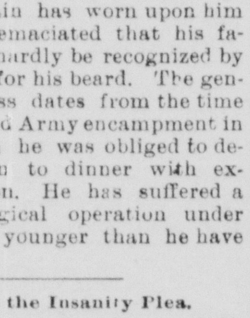
A Complete Tie-up at Sayre.

Elmira, N. Y., Nov. 20.—All the Lehigh freight trains that have reached Sayre have been abandoned and the yards are now filled with cars. The crews have simply deserted their trains and the strike includes engineers, firemen, conductors, brakemen and telegraph operators. It is a mammoth tie-up.

GENERAL RUSK IS IMPROVING.

His Doctor Says the Danger Point Has Been Passed.

Viroqua, Wis., Nov. 20.—General Rusk's condition is improved and Dr. W. A. Gott says he considers that the critical point in the general's illness has passed and he is now convalescent. Few people outside of the attending physician and the immediate family know how very sick the ex-secretary of agriculture has been. General Rusk took to his bed five weeks ago and from that time to the present, except when under the influence of anesthetics, has suffered intensely.



JERRY RUSK.

This constant pain has worn upon him and he is now so emaciated that his familiar face would hardly be recognized by his neighbors, but for his beard. The general's present illness dates from the time he was at the Grand Army encampment in Indianapolis, when he was obliged to decline an invitation to dinner with ex-President Harrison. He has suffered a most painful surgical operation under which many men younger than he have succumbed.

Does Not Like the Insanity Plea.

Chicago, Nov. 20.—Prendergast, the slayer of Mayor Harrison, whose trial is set for a week from today, is not pleased with the defense his attorneys have decided upon. "They propose to enter a plea of insanity," said he. "I shall object to that. I want to acknowledge the commission of the crime and plead and prove justification," said justification being the plea that Mayor Harrison broke his promise to appoint this second Guiteau to office. He declares he is not insane.

Those P., D. and E. Train Robbers.

Lincoln, Ills., Nov. 20.—The testimony taken in the preliminary hearing of the alleged P., D. and E. train robbers is in brief as follows: Conductor Richmond swore that Woodward resembled one of the robbers. Hiram Jones, a farm hand, swore that Woodward tried to get him to go into a street car robbery at Springfield. That is all. The prosecution's case is so weak that if it were not for the records of the suspects it would amount to nothing. Old man Shelles is not held for the train robbery.

The Columbia Is Lightning.

Boston, Nov. 20.—The triple screw United States cruiser Columbia on its official run over the government measured course averaged 22.81 knots an hour during a four hours' run under forced draught, thus exceeding all previous records. For 7¾ knots she steamed at the rate of 25.03 knots an hour—a little better than 30 miles. She is so much better than requirements that the Cramp company will get a bonus of $350,000.

Ramsey's Marriage Depends on His Trial.

Cedar Rapids, Ia., Nov. 20.—Judge Preston has overruled a demurrer to the indictment of D. G. Ramsey, grand chief of the telegraphers, in the case against him of interfering with telegraph wires. The parents of a wealthy young lady at Vinton, who is said to be engaged to marry Ramsey, have been postponing the wedding until they could see how this action would terminate.

On the Football Field.

At Germantown, Pa.—University of Pennsylvania 50, Cornell 0; at Easton, Pa.—Lehigh university 10, Lafayette 0; at Detroit—Northwestern university 6, Michigan 72; at Crawfordsville—Butler university 24, Wabash 28; at Amherst—Williams 30, Amherst 12; at Lincoln, Neb.—Kansas university 18, Nebraska, 0.

HER LOVER SHOT THE COW.

When, Thinking It Was a Burglar, She Got Her Father's Gun.

The pretty village of Hollis, N. Y., was recently excited over the mystery surrounding the shooting of a fine Jersey cow owned by Farmer Fredericks, a peaceful tiller of Hollis' productive soil.

The farmer was aroused late that night by a terrific explosion at the rear of the house. He ran down stairs, and seizing a double barreled shotgun which was standing in the kitchen made a hurried search about the premises. No evil effects of the explosion were then apparent, so he went back to bed. The next morning he found the cow riddled with shot in the barnyard.

When the shooting of the cow became known in the village, everything else was forgotten, even politics. Everybody wondered who the guilty person was—that is, everybody except one young man—he knew.

Farmer Fredericks would probably never have learned who shot the cow had it not been for the kicking qualities of his double barreled shotgun.

While his pretty daughter Phœbe was standing at the gate talking with Coles Hendrickson Friday evening Farmer Fredericks, unknown to the young people, passed near them. As he did so he overheard Coles tell Phœbe that his arm had been lame from the kicking of the gun ever since he shot the cow.

Farmer Fredericks did not want to be deemed as an eavesdropper, but he could not restrain himself. He made his presence known to the young couple, and in the same breath demanded an explanation from Hendrickson.

The young man, finding he was caught, made a full confession. He told Farmer Fredericks that he had escorted Phœbe home from church on Sunday night, as usual, and that after they had been in the house awhile they heard a strange noise in the yard. It sounded like some one trying to break into the house.

"What time was that?" demanded the farmer.

"About—about—12 o'clock," answered the young man hesitatingly.

"Was there a light?"

"Yes, sir, but—but—it was turned low."

"Go on!" thundered the farmer. "I want to know it all."

"Phœbe became frightened and got me your shotgun out of the kitchen"——

"That accounts for the gun barrels being hot when I grabbed it," broke in the farmer. "I thought the heat was due to its standing against the chimney. Go on."

"I stole out of the front door," continued Hendrickson, "and crept around the house. I saw a dark object in the garden and fired. Both barrels went off at once, and the recoil floored me. Hearing a groan, I ran back to the house and gave Phœbe the gun. I thought I had shot some one, and ran home."

Phœbe said that she put the gun back in its accustomed place, and hearing her father coming down stairs she put out the light. When the farmer went out, she stole up to her own room.

Hendrickson added rather undiplomatically that when he heard the next day that it was the cow and not a human being that was shot he felt greatly relieved. Farmer Fredericks, however, has forgiven him.

The cow, too, is recovering from her wounds. Young Hendrickson would consequently be happy if his confession had not leaked out.—New York Sun.

Bismarck's Retort.

Berlin newspapers publish an anecdote of the late Duke Ernst of Saxe-Coburg-Gotha and Prince Bismarck. One evening when the German troops were before Paris the duke began grumbling in Bismarck's presence because the iron cross of the first class, given for bravery in the field of battle, had been distributed too indiscriminately. Bismarck replied that the distribution of such decorations was always a delicate and difficult task; "for," said he, "conspicuous merit has to be rewarded, but in some cases conspicuous position, with or without merit, cannot well be overlooked. See, now," he added, "Moltke has it, Roon has it, Blumenthal has it. Excellent! But then—your highness and I have it too—and surely it is not for us to grumble!"

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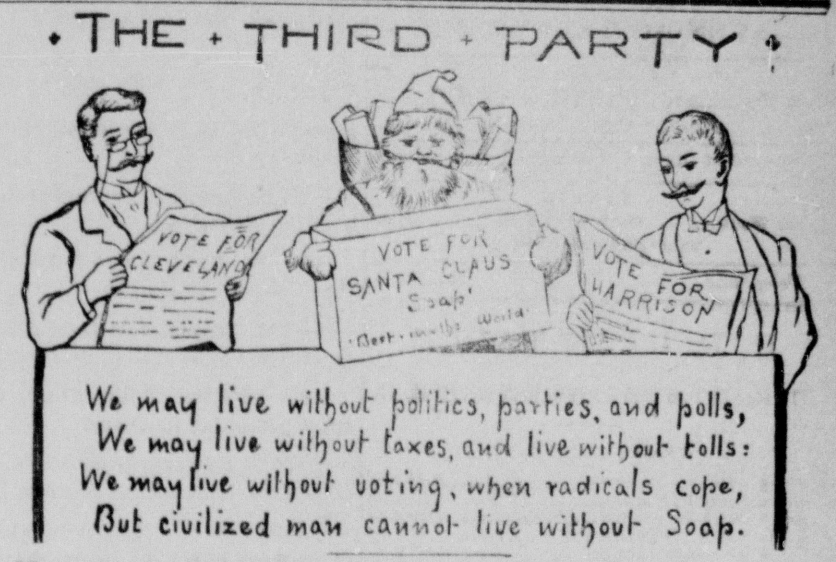
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Destruction of Draperies, Furniture and Food Apparently From Pure Love of Destruction—A Whole Interior Reduced to Ruin—The Food Piled on the Floor and Saturated With Coal Oil—Lady of the House in Hysterics.

WASHINGTON, Nov. 20.—The vandalism of the miscreant who has been designated as "Jack the Slasher" is becoming more bold and outrageous. He—or they—entered the house of Samuel Johnson at 42. Seventh street southeast at night. The family were out at the time. Mrs. Johnson returned home late in the evening and no sooner had she gone into the dining room than the whole neighborhood was startled by her cries. People in the immediate vicinity ran to her house and found the poor woman lying on the floor in her dining room, suffering from a violent attack of hysterics.

Made Everything a Complete Wreck.

They noticed at the same time that all the draperies in the room, mantels, chairs, curtains, portieres, table linen and other cloth materials had been slashed to shreds and thrown to the floor in a heap. That was only the beginning of the outrage. In the kitchen the scene at first glance represented chaos. In the middle of the floor the family larder had been emptied. There were the Sunday meats, groceries, etc., in a heap. Over the mass the vandals threw at random huge quantities of lard and butter, and then to make the ruin complete picked up a gallon can of oil and thoroughly saturated the mass.

The Pestiferous Crank Again.

Considerable excitement was caused at the patent office building by the antics of a crank who appeared at one of the entrances as a score or more clerks were entering the building. He shouted incoherently, waved a piece of a United States flag and muttered to himself unintelligibly. Some of the women clerks were badly frightened and notified a watchman, but before the latter reached the entrance the man had disappeared.

Tried to Burn a Museum.

BOSTON, Nov. 20.—An unknown crank attempted to burn the museum of fine arts in Copley Square. The fire was set in a pile of rubbish in the basement and was detected almost instantly by the gate tender, who smelled the smoke. He summoned a policeman, who extinguished the blaze before any damage was done. A number of people were in the museum at the time, but the officials were unable to capture the incendiary.

"SEVEN SECRET SILENT SHADES."

Initiation Into a Society of Boys Ends in the Death of One.

SPRINGFIELD, Ill., Nov. 20.—Charley Willis, aged 13, was shot and killed while being initiated into a society composed of youngsters, aged from 12 to 15. The society is called "S. S. S. S.," standing for "Seven Secret Silent Shades." The boys, whose minds were evidently inflamed by blood and thunder literature, had a cave in the outskirts of the city, and Louis Barker and Thomas Winter, two leading spirits of the society, invited young Willis to join the band. He consented, and when the ceremony was about over young Barker pointed a pistol at him and pulled the trigger.

Willis fell with a bullet close to the heart. The entire "S. S. S. S." was arrested, but most of them declined to say anything about the killing, as it was contrary to their oaths Some, however, were frightened into telling sufficient of the occurrence to enable the coroner's jury to bring in a verdict of accidental death.

His Intellect Turns a Somersault.

PITTSBURG, Pa., Nov. 20.—The people of Oakmont, a small town on the Allegheny Valley railroad, are astonished at the doings of Charles Mitchell, a 10-year-old boy. While playing during school recess he fell and hurt his head. The remainder of the session he wrote upside down the words given him by his teacher to copy on his slate. Since then he has been acting queerly. Everything he does and sees is exactly the reverse of what it ought to be or really is.

Three Firemen Caught Under a Wall.

KANSAS CITY, Nov. 20.—The Western Warehouse and Storage company's large four-story warehouse, at the corner of Union avenue and Santa Fe street, was burned. Firemen Mat Clarke, John Burke and Walter Eyler were buried under a falling wall. Burke had both legs broken, Clarke his back badly sprained and Eyler suffered slight injuries. They will all probably recover. Loss about $400,000, partially insured.

Lamont to Have a Wisconsin Assistant.

WASHINGTON, Nov. 20.—The resignation of General L. A. Grant, assistant secretary of war, which was tendered to the president on his coming into office has been accepted to take effect Dec. 15, and it is announced that General Doe, adjutant general of the Wisconsin National guard, has been selected as his successor. General Doe is a lawyer, residing at Janesville, Wis.

She Married the Heir to Millions.

DENVER, Nov. 20.—Dr. J. C. Williams, a well-preserved man of 71 years, and Mrs. Mandella G. Inslee, formerly of St. Louis, were married by the Rev. Dr. Martin. The ceremony was witnessed by a few friends only. The groom is a grandson of the late Lord Townley, an English nobleman, and is one of the heirs to an accumulated estate of $120,000,000.

Unknown Woman Burned to Death.

ST. LOUIS, Nov. 20.—A special to The Republic from Birmingham, Ala., says it has been ascertained that in the wreck near Lafayette besides Thomas Driver an unknown young woman was burned to death. The list of injured first reported at ten has grown to thirty-five.

Cornell Instructor Supposed to be Drowned

ITHACA, N. Y., Nov. 20.—Dr. Lucius Merriam, instructor of political economy at Cornell university, and Miss Mary L. Vearing, of Laurens, S. C., are supposed to have been drowned in Cayuga lake. Their boat was found by a searching party.

Heavy Steal from the Railways.

CHICAGO, Nov. 20.—The statement is made here that the railways have been mulcted by the forgeries of tickets in the last two years to the amount of $300,000, and that the leader in the swindle is now under surveillance.

ABBREVIATED TELEGRAMS.

Harry L. Spring, the Chicago crank arrested at Boston for being too importunate in the matter of loans from prominent Bostonians, has been sent to the house of correction for three months.

Jack King, another of the Mineral Range train robbers, has pleaded guilty of larceny and been sent to Marquette (Mich.) state prison for five years.

The official trial of the application of electricity to the propulsion of canal boats was so successful that Governor Flower said it was one of the most important steps the march of progress has taken.

The Viking ship that was at the World's fair has arrived at St. Louis.

George W. Bull, general freight and passenger agent of the St. Paul and Duluth railway, is dead at St. Paul. He will be buried at Indianapolis.

The Knoxville (Tenn.) Brewery company has assigned. Liabilities, $135,000; assets, $225,000.

The Ryan Dry Goods company, of Atlanta, has failed. Liabilities, $180,000; assets, $34,000.

The Electrical Workers' convention at Cleveland has adjourned. The next meeting will be held at Minneapolis, in November, 1895.

Elmer Winn, of Chicago, who committed suicide last week, is the third brother to take his own life and it is said that gambling was the cause in each case.

The McClelland murder mystery in Marion county, Ills., is as great a mystery as ever, not one of the many witnesses examined by the coroner being able to swear to anything criminating anybody in the murder of the two McClellands whose skeletons are supposed to have been found in the bed of a pond.

Mrs. Lawrence Lang, wife of a farmer living near Fostoria, O., has eloped with a farm hand, leaving seven children and a disconsolate husband.

Tramps tried to hold up a train on the Boston and Maine railway in New Hampshire and one of them was killed in the ensuing fight. A brakeman was badly injured in the melee.

A citizen of Indian Territory traded a herd of cattle for another citizen's wife. After a short experience with the woman he got out a writ of replevin for the cattle and won the suit, the judge holding that trading wives was against public policy.

Rev. Charles F. Deems, a prominent New York clergyman and religious writer, is dead, aged 72.

A passenger train on the Chicago and Northwestern railway killed W. O. Whittaker, Mrs. Whittaker and Fannie Whittaker, of Coal Valley, Ia., in the morning, and the same evening killed two unknown strangers at Midway, Ia.

The crew of the J. H. Travis, stranded near Ahnapee, Wis., has been rescued.

The search for gold out west is leading many white men to invade the Indian reservations, and troubles with the redskins are looming up.

C. H. J. Taylor, the negro citizen who has been appointed minister to Bolivia, proposes to stop lynchings by charging a county $10,000 for each person lynched, the money to go to the family of the "lynchee," and only the fact that the lynching took place to be necessary to prove.

A large steamer foundered near Banff, on the English coast, and twenty-five lives were lost.

Fred Marvin, who is charged with embezzling the money of the Third National bank of Detroit, has pleaded not guilty and given $10,000 bonds to appear when wanted.

United States troops have been ordered to patrol the Mexican border to prevent Mexican revolutionists from using American soil as a recruiting ground.

Probably Went Over the Falls.

BUFFALO, N. Y., Nov. 20.—Passengers on a Michigan Central train saw two men in a boat in the rapids, struggling for life. The boat was stranded on a rock above Goat island, but the occupants have not been found. It is supposed they were carried over the falls. Two other young men are missing and supposed to have met a similar fate.

Insurance Opinion by Moloney.

SPRINGFIELD, Ills., Nov. 02.—Attorney General Moloney has rendered an opinion that life insurance companies doing business on the assessment plan, under the law regulating assessment insurance companies, can enter into contract with the insured to make a fixed cash payment to a living certificate or policy holder in the contingency of total physical disability.

Fighting Offered the Unemployed.

EL PASO, Tex., Nov. 20.—The Mexican revolutionists, with a view of obtaining recruits from the unemployed, have scattered a circular on both sides of the border asking for "25,000 men to fight," and offering $2.50 per day to any one with a rifle and 100 cartridges. Mounted men with rifle and pistol are offered $5 per day.

Repaid Charity With Murder.

BOSTON, Nov. 20.—George Johnson, 19 years of age, ran M. Jones, the cook of the establishment, through the body with a knife as a result of a fancied wrong. Johnson was picked out of the gutter about a year ago by the Boston Industrial home and has since made it his home.

A Stevenson Boom Started.

ST. LOUIS, Nov. 20.—Governor Fishback, of Arkansas, is in the city and says: "The south and west have done with eastern presidents. In my opinion the logical candidate of the Democracy in 1896 will be Stevenson, while McKinley will head the Republican ticket."

A Chicago State Bank in Trouble.

CHICAGO, Nov. 20.—Samuel A. Tolman, a stockholder in the South Side State bank, has asked for a receiver to be appointed for the concern. In the petition Tolman makes the charges of fraud and mismanagement. Assets estimated, $70,000; liabilities, $113,000.

Monarchy Wins in Spain.

MADRID, Nov. 20.—The municipal elections here have resulted in the return of nineteen Monarchists and nine Republicans. The government has also been successful in the provinces.

The Weather We May Expect.

WASHINGTON, Nov. 20.—The following are the weather indications for twenty-four hours from 8 p. m. yesterday: For Indiana and Illinois—Fair weather; winds shifting to southwesterly, and warmer in northern portions. For Lower Michigan—Generally fair weather; winds shifting to southwesterly. For Upper Michigan—Light local snows, followed by clearing weather, winds shifting to southwesterly; warmer in western portion. For Wisconsin and Iowa—Fair weather; winds southwesterly, increasing in force.

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The history of popular delusions, more especially those relating to religious or quasi religious beliefs, has been dealt with by many able pens. Most educated people have some acquaintance with the supernatural pretensions of people like Joanna Southcote or Joe Smith. It may, however, be safely alleged that scarcely one European in a million has ever heard of a most singular instance of popular credulity, which, dating back to the first century, has held sway even to the present day.

Probably the earliest notice of the so called "Master of Heaven" which appeared in any European work is to be found in the "Annales de la Foi" or missionary "Collectanea" of the Jesuit priests, forwarded in the shape of letters from various portions of the heathen world. Writing in 1856, Father Demicourt described the then living "master" in no favorable terms. It was, however, reserved for the well known authority on Chinese matters, Mr. Chalmers, to first introduce the title and its bearer to the notice of the English speaking world. A few months later Mr. H. Kopsch gave a more detailed and extremely interesting account of the whole subject. As these papers are quite inaccessible to the general public—one public library only in England possessing a copy—the following details will doubtless be of interest:

About 24 years after the birth of Christ a child was, according to the legend miraculously born of a virgin mother in the province of Kiangsi. As with the founder of Buddhism, his childhood was distinguished by extraordinary precocity and the power of performing supernatural feats. By the time he had reached 20 years of age he had attained the modest stature of 9 feet 2 inches. His personal appearance otherwise was not less unusual. Triangular eyes with green pupils, and a crimson scalp, arms reaching below his knees, and with an occipital bone of striking projection, he must have been at least noteworthy in the eyes of his neighbors.

It may, by the way, be noted that however unveracious these details of his looks, Chang Tao-ling actually existed. His career is sketched in the annals of the province in quite the same vein as are his physical characteristics. A scholar of profound erudition and able to foretell coming events, he sent in so masterly a paper on the troubles then besetting the empire (A. D. 60) that the emperor appointed him governor of Kiang-Choo. After holding this appointment for a few years he resigned, and then commenced the career which secured for him the celebrity which has lasted till the present day.

Leaving the scene of his government, he became a hermit in the Pei-Mang mountains and devoted his time to the study of witchcraft and the discovery of the elixir of life. He was next heard of on the Dragon and Tiger mountain. Here he compounded the mystic pill of immortality and discovered the means of ruling the demons of the air and commanding the services of devils and bogys. Among the supernatural feats with which he was credited was the slaughter of a million devils with one stroke of a vermilion pencil. These, at the humble intercession of their six kings, he restored to life upon condition that they betook themselves to western countries and left China alone.

It was at Mount Ho-Ning that Chang professed to receive in person a divine commission as the "Master of Heaven." Among the insignia of his new office was a magic seal which would impress 100 sheets of paper at once, although only touching one. The seal, of course, is claimed to be over 1,800 years old.

The master's son Heng succeeded his father, who is alleged to have been taken up into heaven after having attained the age of 123 years. A son has in turn succeeded until the present day. During the Ming dynasty, which terminated in 1644, the then "master" was guardian of the heir apparent to the throne. As an illustration of the duties devolving upon the occupants of the master's post, the annals record that in 1707 the then "master of heaven" was directed to offer sacrifices on the five great mountains of China to charm away the ghost of the white sheep at Hwangchow and to rid the Tai-hu lake of the crimson monkey which haunted it! "Another goblin called the 'Iron Lock,' the dread and terror of the boat people, as it contained the key to the winds, was also commanded to be got rid of by the subtle arts of this magician."

The Tai-ping rebellion naturally induced the superstitious ruling powers to consult the then representative of the long defunct Chang Tao-ling. It need scarcely be said that his charms and exorcisms failed to produce the slightest effect, and he ignominiously fled. The vicious lives led by the later masters had already led to their being regarded with contempt by their immediate neighbors, but superstition dies hard in China. The present abode of the wizard is situated about 27 miles south of Kiver Ki, a town in Kiangsi, in the Dragon and Tiger mountain, already mentioned. The two animals are represented by two high peaks, and between these lies the "Palace of Supreme Purity," as the master's temple is named.

The grate in which the mystic pill of immortality was first refined is still shown, as also the ruins of the terrace whence Chang Tao-ling ascended to heaven. A number of monasteries surround the "palace," but they are mostly in a state of decay. Revenue accrues to the "master" from two sources. The first is that derived from exorcising ghosts from the houses of the richer residents in the province, mandarins, etc., or otherwise averting ill and inducing good luck to them who seek his services. The second and far more lucrative source is the sale of charms.

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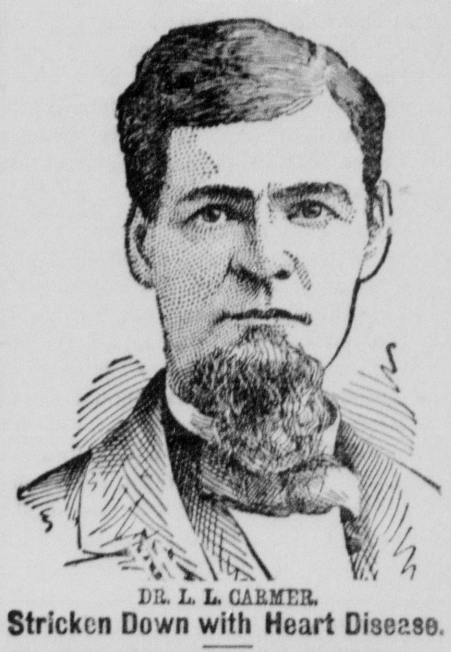

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—George Beal is home.

—W. E. Edmonds, of Elgin, is in the city.

—Frank Niman was down from Polo yesterday.

—W. N. Johnson departed this morning on a business trip.

—M. S. McMullen, of Aurora, is at the Nachusa House.

—H. H. Thomas and Todd Atkins were down from Polo yesterday.

—Mr. and Mrs. John Atley, of Polo spent yesterday in Dixon

—W. H. Edwards is entertaining Rev. Charles E. Schaible, of Lincoln, Ill.

—Judge J. D. Crabtree returned to court work at Galena this afternoon.

—Frank Harned opened a winter's term of school at Harmon this morning.

—Mrs. G. C. Heritage advertises the loss of a gold medal Saturday evening.

—I. B. Countryman, S. Rosenthal & Son and Stern Bros. change their "ads" today.

—Judge R. S. Farrand is presiding in the DeKalb county court at Sycamore today.

—LeRoy Bridges, Oscar Depuy and George Watson enjoyed a successful hunt up the river.

—T. J. Hoban is off on a few days' vacation and Alex Turner has his place on the mail route.

—The mother of Governor McKinley is still living at the age of 84, to enjoy the triumph of her boy.

—W. E. Senneff has a two year old Thanksgiving cactus which has thirteen beautiful blossoms.

—J. J. Glanfield has returned to Dixon and is looking for a residence into which to move his family.

—Accounts of the terrific storm that swept the coast of Great Britain will be found in our dispatches.

—Charles Plein has the latest World's Fair souvenir. It is an attractive picture called The Game of Pedro.

—Brothers and sisters of the late Mrs. E. J. Ryan departed for their home at Mishawaka, Ind., this morning.

—The attending physician reports Clay Mellen, the young man who got his foot crushed Saturday, as doing nicely.

—While on a professional visit to the William Madden farm, south of this city, Friday, Veterinary Surgeon John Winders received a kick from a horse that fractured his leg.

—The Illinois Steel Company and other mills in Joliet started up this morning, giving employment to several hundred men, to the great relief of the business interests of that city.

—F. E. Pipher is the name of the horse trainer who moved from St. Louis to this city last week and expects soon to locate his family at the J. H. Clark place in the West End. He was formerly a Dixon boy.

—The Gazette says that Saturday Clark Powell of Sterling, who is a flower fancier of many years experience, visited the Dixon chrysanthemum show for the purpose of having one genuine treat on this particular variety.

—A bright little three year-old on South Peoria avenue, who boldly makes a try at lots of words that he is not familiar with, called his father's attention to a man riding by "on a cibucle."

—Andrew Welch, of Aurora has been nominated as Brigadier General of the Third Brigade Illinois National Guards, vice Col. Clendenen, removed by Gov. Altgeld. Company G. of this city is in the Third, and were all in love with their old leader, who was a representative military man and an experienced and most efficient commander. Mr. Welch, though a soldier of less experience, is a genial gentleman, and the boys will no doubt find in him a good leader; we are sure that he will find them all that a commander could ask of his men.

—The Chrysanthemum Fair given the latter part of last week by the ladies of the Baptist church, closed very satisfactorily Saturday evening, and netted to the special fund for which it was planned fully one hundred and forty dollars. It was therefore in every way a success. An excellent closing program was given, nearly every number of which was encored; after which flowers, and cakes remaining uncut, were auctioned off. As the fair is no longer an experiment, and will be greatly enlarged next November, it] would be well for our readers to procure early next season a goodly number of choice healthy sprouts and give them careful attention.

—The closing remark of our notice Saturday of the arrest and commitment of Will Logan, a stranger, for committing fraud in the sum of thirty cents was erroneously taken as a criticism on the action of our officers of justice. It was not so intended. Criminals should be as promptly arrested for trivial as for graver offences, if we would nip wrong-doing in the bud. If there is any fault, it lies solely in the failure of the law to provide for the prompt trial and just punishment of this class of offenses. The man who is swindled out of ever so small an amount, is not so much seeking personal redress as the protection of property in general in lodging complaint, and the officier who makes the arrest would be remiss in his duty if he did otherwise. For the police magistrate also, there seems to be no recourse but to send the man to jail to await the action of the grand jury. But the prisoner meanwhile languishes, or luxuriates, as the case may be, sometimes for months, the honest tax-payers of the county bearing the expense of his board. Then the time of the grand jury and of the court, with the witness fees and other expenses have to be settled out of the hard earnings of the honest portion of the community, who thus bear a large portion of the punishment for criminal offenses of a trivial character. It almost makes one think that our forefathers, who instituted the stocks and the cat-o-nine-tails were after all, a pretty level-headed set of men. There certainly should be some way of reaching such cases as that of Will Logan at once, and of making him earn by his own toil, on the roads or elsewhere, the amount of the expense occurred on account of his felony.

—Policeman Will Kent met Will Wood Saturday night and strange to say, the young man, who had a pocket full of rocks, was looking for a policeman at the time. Wood's talk was of such a threatening character that the officer was compelled to lock him up in jail, from whence he had been released but three days previously.

—The charming Miss Adele Grant, the American beauty who is soon to be wedded to a scion of England's titled nobility, the Earl of Essex, it seems is distantly related to one of our Dixon families. Her mother, Mrs. Beach Grant, is a niece of the late Thomas Scott, president of the Pennsylvania Railroad, who was a brother of Mrs D. R. Bowles of this city. The future Countess of Essex, therefore, is a grand-niece of Mrs. Bowles.

—Will Hartshorn last night received a dispatch from Clinton, Ill., stating that his brother-in-law, Henry Cone, yardmaster at that place, had just been seriously injured while switching. News was subsequently received that he died an hour later of his injuries. No details have been as yet learned. Will left this morning to comfort his sister and attend the funeral. Deceased leaves a wife and adopted child. His home was at Wapella, this side of Clinton, he and was a conductor, not yard master, as stated above. He was prominent in societies of Knights of Pythias and Modern Woodmen, and was son of a Presbyterian minister. Mrs. A. M. Hartshorn went down from this city on the noon train today.

From South Dixon.

The Misses Cora and Flo Anderson have rented a couple of very pleasant, furnished rooms in the Gearhart Missman residence; only returning home on Friday.

Mr. Paddock, of Camden, N. Y., made a short visit at his cousin's, Lorenzo Goodyear, this week.

The farmers in this vicinity are congratulating themselves on having their corn out during this pleasant weather.

As one of the horses Julius Lloyd had on his milk wagon at the time of the wreck, was only two years old, he considers them "perfect gentlemen" in not taking a fine runaway, which they had such as plendid chance to do. CELLO.

From Harmon.

The farmers are through husking corn they are having it shelled and drawn to market.

The section hands are now gathering up the rubbish along the track and burning it.

Farmers have been doing their fall plowing.

Jacob Slaybaugh is repairing and painting his house as he has rented his farm he is fixing it for renters.

James N. Swan has his house nicely painted. It makes a fine appearance.

There have been some cases of sickness mostly cases of coughs.

The ground is very dry.

Wm. Neitzhie has been doing the corn-shelling with his engine and sheller.

Zeller and McIntyre are receiving considerable corn, both shelled and in the ear.

Henry Brill and A. A. Conner have been busy drilling wells, water is getting scarce.

Mr. Strong, of Dixon, was in our town last week.

There was a dance at the hall last Saturday night.

There is a poultry buying firm in Harmon, they dress and and ship poultry to Boston antl other eastern markets.

Mrs Tank has public sale of her personal property on the 30th inst.

John Clock and Geo. Hill are buying poulty and drawing it to Franklin Grove.

The creamery received milk now every other day,

The feather renovator has been doing a good business.

W. W. Cady has been painting his house on the farm. NIHIL.

WEATHER REPORT

For the week, commencing Nov. 19, 1893.

	7 A. M.	2 P. M.	9 P. M.	Max.	Min.	recp
Sun.	22	84	16	35	16	—
Mon.	—	21	48	—	—	—
Tues.	—	—	—	—	—	—
Wed.	—	—	—	—	—	
Thurs.	—	—	—	—	—	
Fri.	—	—	—	—	—	
Sat.	—	—	—	—	—	

A. O. CLARK, Observer

MARKET REPORT

Special to THE TELEGRAPH.

CHICAGO, Nov. 20—3 p. m.

Cash Wheat	$ .59⅜
December Wheat	.60¼
May Wheat	.67⅞
Cash Corn	.35⅝
May Corn	.39½
Cash Oats	.2[illegible]½
May Oats	.30¼
January Pork	12 42½
" Lard	7.62½
Cash Rye	.44
Est. receipt of Wheat for tomorrow	270
" " Corn " "	600
" " Oats " "	295
" " Hogs " "	18000

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CHANCERY NOTICE.

STATE OF ILLINOIS, } ss In the Circuit Court To the January Term A. D. 1894.
LEE COUNTY. }

Minnie Miller vs. John W. Miller in Chancery No. 15 9.

Notice is hereby given to the said John W. Miller that the above named complainant heretofore filed her bill of complaint in said court on the Chancery side thereof, and that a summons thereupon issued out of said court against said defendant, returnable on the first day of the term of the Circuit Court of Lee County, to be held at the Court house in Dixon in said County on the first Monday of January 1894 as is by law required and which suit is still pending.

4t4 IRA W. LEWIS, Clerk.
MORRISON & WOOSTER, Compt's Solicitors

LOST.

GOLD Medal between Armory Hall and home on College avenue Saturday night. Finder will be awarded on returning same.
48t1 MRS G. C. HERITAGE.

THE INDIAN WHALERS

EXPERIENCES OF A MAN WHO WENT OUT WITH A CANOE FLEET.

Literally Leaping Over the Waves—Inflated Bags Which Act as Drags Upon the Wounded Leviathans—Hunters Skilled In Endurance.

On the northwestern coast of Washington live the remnant of a tribe of Indians who are great sea hunters, masters of the whale. A writer in the San Francisco Bulletin thus tells of a hunt in which he was a nervous participant:

Suddenly half a dozen canoes were pushed off, although there was a heavy swell, and the water was breaking in a threatening manner on the beach. The weapon employed in whale hunting consists of a long barbed spear. The body is made of wood and is perhaps 15 feet in length. It is so made that the moment the sharp, lancelike barb enters the thick skin of the whale the wood becomes detached, but the barb stays deeply imbedded in the harpooned fish, attached to the boat by a small line. There are in each canoe several of these spears and a number of dog seal skins inflated with air, which are made fast to the line whose end is again fast to the lance. Thus, when a whale is struck and goes down, he has to carry with him this inflated bag. The Indians also had shorter spears, which are employed at closer quarters.

At the time indicated the big game was several miles out to sea, but there were seven stalwart Siwashes in each canoe dipping their oars in the water with the rhythm of machinery, and it was not long before the little fleet lay directly in the course of the leviathans. They formed a horseshoe, with the ends flaring toward the fish. In every bow there stood a spearsman with lance partially upraised, whose rigid form, tense, strained, expectant, seemed carved. Every paddle except that of the steersman was lifted from the water ready to descend with instant precision and send the light craft literally leaping over the waves.

Thus the Indians sat for 15 minutes. Finally in a moment a monster humpback whale broke through the water 100 yards to the right and further seaward. A moment more and a second whale spouted a stream skyward not 50 feet from the canoe next the one in which I sat, an excited and somewhat frightened observer. In absolute silence the two canoes on either side of the fish slipped over the water toward the unsuspecting game, and in another second the spear from one of them shot through the air, hurled by a giant Indian. It was well aimed and struck the whale hard and deep, burying the lance in its side. Swifter than thought the wounded monster struck the water with his flukes, breaking into small pieces the long shaft of wood, and sinking sent the two big bladders skimming over the water for a moment and then out of sight downward.

Amateur oarsmen or professionals who think they can propel their racing boats should have seen the canoes literally fly after that wounded humpback. Every stiff paddle threatened to break, and the muscles stood out across the naked breasts and bared arms of the hunters as they shot along. After a little one after another dropped behind, and they were strung out over quite a distance. This was in order to "cover" as much water as possible, for it was impossible to tell where the wounded whale would rise to spout. But he did not long remain below, and before he reached the surface the inflated skin came up and told somewhere near the point of his reappearance.

When the big, black, shining skin showed above the water, there were two canoes near enough to sink each a short shaft into its exposure. As the wounded monster felt the incision he again disappeared, but he had six skins to drag down instead of two this time, and the blood which spurted from his sides, coloring the water for quite a distance, told how well the native muscle and skill had co-operated.

Again the Indians raced over the water, but this time the whale remained longer under and went farther. He had out traveled the hunters, and despite their frantic efforts sank again before they came near him. But he evidently did not like the load of air he took bottomward, for he soon came up. Fortune favored the natives, for still another lance, to whose line were three skins attached, plunged into his side.

The furious fish now failed to sound, and as the canoes came up and circled about his great tail came down, catching one, breaking it into pieces, in some unaccountable way sending a fragment into the side of one Indian and breaking the arm of another. But it was evident that the battle was nearly done, for the water was literally incarnadined with the life flow of the whale, and as spear after spear found its way into his sides and back his efforts to escape ceased altogether. Finally, with a last attempt to wreak further vengeance on his pursuers, the big fish lay dead on the water.

In the excitement of the pursuit and the battle no attention had been paid to the flight of time nor the direction of the chase. We were out of sight of land, and the sun was trailing a splendid pathway across the ocean down toward the rim of the sky. The hunters were skilled in endurance and thoroughly acquainted with the ocean. They made their lines all fast to the whale, and some of them slept while others watched. The following morning before day dawn the big light at Tatoosh island was seen, and as day came on the bold promontory of the coast was in view.

The tide sets in shore off the mouth of the outlet to Puget sound, a breeze had sprung up, and with muttonleg sails which the Indian always carries in his canoe, aided by their paddles, our little fleet approached the shore 10 miles north from its point of departure. In the afternoon the whale was anchored at high tide, and when the ocean receded the natives set to work and carved up their prize.

Bottling Tears.

The custom of bottling tears is peculiar to the people of Persia. There it constitutes an important part of the obsequies of the dead. As the mourners are sitting round and weeping, the master of the ceremonies presents each one with a piece of cotton wool or sponge, with which to wipe away the tears. This cotton wool or sponge is afterward squeezed into a bottle, and the tears are preserved as a powerful and efficacious restorative for those whom every other medicine has failed to revive. It is to this custom that allusion is made in Psalms lvi, 8, "Put thou my tears into thy bottle."—Brooklyn Eagle.

Getting Full.

The moon is like some men in that it stays up late when it is full.—Pittsburg Chronicle-Telegraph.

Yes, but it doesn't get full on its first quarter.—Chicago Dispatch.

No, but it does on its first quart, eh?—Boston Courier.

The Size of Texas.

You could dig a lake in the center of Texas, put the republic of France on an island in that lake, and it couldn't be seen from the shore. You could hide England, Ireland, Scotland and Wales in any part of it, and it would be two months before any one who didn't know of their location would be able to get even a suspicion of it—Texas Siftings.

Ella Wheeler Wilcox's Husband.

Robert Wilcox, the husband of Ella Wheeler, the poetess of passion, is a drummer—just a plain, ordinary, two grip, 1,000 mile ticket drummer. His veracious narrations have, it is said, furnished his gifted wife with ideas for many stories and poems, and he is the critic upon whom she most relies to point out defects in her work. Mr. Wilcox is stout and heavy set, with a full round face and a bald head. How he captured the affections of the modern Sappho is a mystery to every one and most of all, as he admits, to himself.—Chicago Herald.

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Underwear for Man and Boy,
Hats and Caps for Man and Boy,

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could not help but sell at the Reduced Prices we have on every garment in our house, as they are in reach of the most economical buyer, and you should not fail to avail yourself of this opportunity and take advantage of our GENEROUS BARGAINS given in the month of November.

We are in duty bound to do $6,500 in thirty days, and if necessary to accomplish it, we will sell goods at cost prices.

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